

House File 383 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act prohibiting the department of public safety from
2 expending moneys appropriated to the department for purposes
3 of enforcing any new federal law or executive order of the
4 president of the United States that prohibits the sale,
5 transfer, or possession of firearms, firearm accessories,
6 or ammunition, and including effective date and retroactive
7 applicability provisions.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 80.22A Expenditure restriction
2 — firearms.

3 The department of public safety shall not expend any of the
4 state or federal moneys appropriated to the department for
5 purposes of enforcing any federal law enacted or executive
6 order of the president of the United States issued on or
7 after January 1, 2013, that prohibits the sale, transfer, or
8 possession of firearms, firearm accessories, or ammunition.
9 The expenditure restriction in this section shall include but
10 is not limited to expenditures from appropriations associated
11 with the use of personnel, land or air vehicles, buildings,
12 equipment including communications equipment, and weapons of
13 the department.

14 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This Act, being deemed of
15 immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

16 Sec. 3. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. This Act applies
17 retroactively to January 1, 2013.

18 EXPLANATION

19 This bill prohibits the department of public safety
20 from expending state or federal moneys appropriated to the
21 department for purposes of enforcing any federal law or
22 executive order of the President of the United States enacted
23 on or after January 1, 2013, that prohibits the sale, transfer,
24 or possession of firearms, firearm accessories, or ammunition.
25 The expenditure restriction includes but is not limited to
26 expenditures from appropriations associated with the use of
27 personnel, land or air vehicles, buildings, equipment including
28 communications equipment, and weapons of the department.

29 The bill provides an immediate effective date and applies
30 retroactively to January 1, 2013.